

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Municipal Administration and Urban Development Department – Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad – Cancellation of Standing Committee Resolution No.230, dated 18.08.2010 – Orders – Issued.

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MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (F2) DEPARTMENT  
G.O.Rt.No. 893 Dated the 21<sup>st</sup> day of July, 2011.

Read the following:-

1. From the Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad letter No.1152/Night Shelters/ UCD/GHMC/2010/217, dated 03.09.2010.
2. Government Memo.No.5275/F2/2010-14, dated 11.05.2011.
3. From the Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad, letter No.1152/UCD/NS/GHMC/ 2010, dated 06.06.2011.

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ORDER:

Whereas, in the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation has reported that in pursuance of the Government instructions and directions of the Supreme Court of India in O.A.No.94 in W.P.(C) No.196/2001, dated 10.02.2010, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation has prepared an action plan with the arrangements prepared for establishment of Night shelters to the shelter less people in Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation area by utilizing existing Community Halls / buildings and the Standing Committee of Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation vide their Resolution No.230, dated 18.08.2010 has accorded permission to establish Night Shelters in Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation area to the shelter less people subject to the condition to seek the Government assistance to provide land and adequate funds for construction of buildings to establish Night Shelters since the Community Halls are being utilized by the local communities for their welfare services.

2. And whereas, Government considered that there are 800 Community Halls in the Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation out of which 60 were identified by the Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation as night shelters to shelter less person, and that it is very difficult for the Government to identify fresh land and provide funds to construct night shelters as requested by the Standing Committee of the Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation and even if lands and funds are provided by the Government, it would take lot of time to complete them and as such, it will be against the directions of the Supreme Court of India to start them immediately and proposed to cancel the Standing Committee Resolution of the Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation.

3. And whereas, Government after careful examination of the matter provisionally decided to cancel the Standing Committee Resolution, No.230, dated 18.08.2010 of Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation by exercising powers under section 679-A of the Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation Act, 1955.

4. And whereas, in the Memo. 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, show cause notice has been issued to the Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation to explain within 15 days from the date of receipt of the notice as to why it's Standing Committee Resolution No.230, dated 18.08.2010 should not be canceled.

5. And whereas, in the letter 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, the Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation has reported that the matter has been placed before the Standing Committee on 18.05.2011. The Standing Committee after detailed discussion of the circumstances under which the Resolution No.287 dated 29.09.2010 and No.230, dated 18.08.2010 were passed has observed that *"the Standing Committee in its Resolution No.230, dated 18.08.2010 have accorded for establishing Night Shelters in GHMC area to the shelter less people subject to condition to seek the Government assistance to provide land and adequate funds for construction of buildings to establish Night Shelters, since the Community Halls are being utilized by the local communities for their welfare. Subsequently, when the Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation has placed the above resolution for review on 29.09.2010 by the Standing Committee and to accord permission to establish the Night Shelters the Committee adopted a resolution bearing No.287, dated 29.09.2010 duly requesting the Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation to resubmit the preamble duly proposing to take private buildings on monthly rental basis to provide Night Shelters to the homeless people (or) to submit a separate list of Community Halls which are not in use, for taking a suitable decision in the matter. The Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation has submitted the required information to the Standing Committee. Accordingly, the Night Shelters are established in five Community Halls in Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation area, based on the decision of the Standing Committee. The Standing Committee unanimously desired the Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation to submit explanation to the Government on the above lines while enclosing a copy of this resolution"*.

6. And whereas, Government after careful examination of the matter consider the explanation unsatisfactory and it is necessary establish 60 Night Shelters urgently to comply with the direction of the apex court and decided to cancel the above Standing Committee Resolution No.230, dated 18.08.2010.

7. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (1) of Section 679-A of the Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation Act, 1955 (Andhra Pradesh Act II of 1956) the Government hereby cancel the Standing Committee Resolution No.230, dated 18.08.2010 of the Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation.

8. The Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**Dr. VIJAY KUMAR,**  
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Law (A) Department.

The P.S. Minister for MA&UD.

The P.S. Principal Secretary to Government, MA&UD Department.

The P.S. Secretary to Government, MA&UD Department.

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